

C E R T I F I C A T E O F I N I T I A L A P P E A R A N C E

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

DOCKET CJ 287256

CID FILE #

010-12701

COUNTY OF HARRISON

INVESTIGATOR

HCSO/Prendegast

1ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT

ATTORNEY

W. Willerson

I CERTIFY THAT JOHNSON, JEROME DONTAE WHOSE ADDRESS IS
WAS GRANTED AN INITIAL APPEARANCE BEFORE ME ON THE 6TH DAY
OF SEPTEMBER, 2006.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WAS GIVEN TO THE DEFENDANT VERBALLY, AND A COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE
WAS GIVEN TO THE SAID DEFENDANT.

1. CHARGE AND PENALTY: YOU HAVE BEEN CHARGED WITH THE FOLLOWING FELONY CRIME(S), AND IF YOU
ARE ULTIMATELY CONVICTED, YOU MAY BE SENTENCED TO A TERM IN THE STATE PENITENTIARY.

SEXUAL BATTERY

CASE 2400 0616701

BOND SET BY MR ON 09-05-2006 AT 100000

2. RIGHT TO REMAIN SILENT: IT IS NOT NECESSARY THAT YOU SAY ANYTHING AT THIS INITIAL APPEARANCE.
YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO ENTER A PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOT GUILTY TO THE CHARGE(S). IF YOU DO
SPEAK, ANY STATEMENTS YOU MAKE CAN AND WILL BE USED AGAINST YOU.
3. RIGHT TO AN ATTORNEY: YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO THE ASSISTANCE OF AN ATTORNEY, AND IF YOU ARE
UNABLE TO AFFORD AN ATTORNEY, ONE WILL BE APPOINTED TO REPRESENT YOU. AN APPLICATION FOR
APPOINTMENT OF AN ATTORNEY MAY BE MADE AT THIS TIME. IF YOU WISH TO HIRE YOUR OWN ATTORNEY,
YOU WILL BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY BY THE OFFICER IN CHARGE OF THE JAIL TO MAKE THE NECESSARY
TELEPHONE CALLS TO OBTAIN AN ATTORNEY.
4. RIGHT TO COMMUNICATION: YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO COMMUNICATE WITH YOUR ATTORNEY, FAMILY OR
FRIENDS AT REASONABLE TIMES, AND REASONABLE MEANS WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE OFFICER IN CHARGE
OF THE JAIL TO ENABLE YOU TO DO SO. IF YOU FEEL THAT YOU HAVE BEEN UNREASONABLY DENIED AN
OPPORTUNITY TO COMMUNICATE WITH YOUR ATTORNEY, FAMILY OR FRIENDS, THIS IS THE TIME FOR YOU TO
MAKE YOUR COMPLAINT, AND ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE TO SEE THAT YOU HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO
MAKE NECESSARY COMMUNICATIONS.
5. RIGHT TO PRELIMINARY HEARING YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO A PRELIMINARY HEARING BEFORE A JUDICIAL
OFFICER ON THE CHARGES MADE AGAINST YOU TO DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT THERE IS SUFFICIENT
PROBABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE THAT A CRIME HAS BEEN COMMITTED AND THAT YOU COMMITTED IT. IF SUCH
PROBABLE CAUSE IS FOUND TO EXIST, YOU WILL BE BOUND OVER TO AWAIT THE ACTION OF THE NEXT
GRAND JURY WHICH CONVENES IN Next Term. AT A PRELIMINARY HEARING YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO
HAVE YOUR ATTORNEY PRESENT, TO CROSS-EXAMINE ANY WITNESSES IN YOUR OWN BEHALF BY SUBPOENA,
AND OFFER EVIDENCE IN YOUR OWN BEHALF.
6. BAIL: YOU ☒ HAVE ☐ DO NOT HAVE THE RIGHT TO BAIL. YOUR BAIL FOR THE CHARGES PRESENTLY
PENDING AGAINST YOU IS IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$100,000.00 THE SHERIFF OF HARRISON COUNTY OR
HIS DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE MUST APPROVE ANY BAIL BOND.

THIS THE 06th DAY OF September, 2006

DEFENDANT

JUSTICE COURT JUDGE

EXHIBIT

"J"